

THE AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4005 OFFERED BY M.S. SANCHEZ OF CALIFORNIA

At the end of the bill, add the following:

- 1 SEC. 3. INFORMATION SHARING.
- 2 The Secretary of Homeland Security shall, in accord-
- 3 ance with rules for the handling of classified information,
- 4 share, as appropriate, with designated points of contact
- 5 from Federal agencies and State, local, or tribal govern-
- 6 ments, and port system owners and operators, relevant in-
- 7 formation regarding remaining gaps in port security of the
- 8 United States, prioritization of such gaps, and a plan for
- 9 addressing such gaps. In the event that a designated point
- 10 of contact does not have the necessary security clearance
- 11 to receive such information, the Secretary shall help expe-
- 12 dite securing such clearance.

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the clearance process, as appropriate